OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 3RD SEPTEMBER 1927.

A total of 46 attacks with 27 deaths from plague was returned during the week, all the districts being affected, except Tumkur and Kadur. The City of Bangalore and the Kolar Gold Field area continued to remain free from the disease while Mysore City returned 2 attacks with 2 deaths.

2. Comparative figures for the corresponding week were 196 attacks with 113 deaths in 1926, and 190 attacks with 115 deaths in 1925.

3. A total of 6 attacks with as many deaths from cholera was returned for 3 villages in the Yelandur Taluk and Yelandur town.

4. The State continued to remain free from Influenza and Relapsing fever during the week.

5. One attack with two deaths from small-pox were returned for Arkalgud town and the City of Mysore.

6. The total mortality for the Bangalore City amounted to 75 representing a calculated annual ratio of 32·05 per mille of population against the average ratio of 27·05 for 1926. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 2 under malaria, 5 under pneumonia, 2 under typhoid, 3 under other fevers, 5 under phthisis, 10 under dysentery and diarrhoea and 48 under all other causes.

7. The total mortality for the Mysore City for the week was 36, representing a calculated annual ratio of 19·91 per mille of population against the average ratio of 24·71 for 1926. The causes of deaths were Plague 2, Small-pox 1, Malaria 2, Pneumonia 5, Phthisis 1, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 3 and all other causes 22.

8. There were 41 deaths from all causes reported from the Kolar Gold Fields area equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 23·77 per mille of population against the average ratio of 26·18 for 1926. The causes of deaths were other fevers 1, Phthisis 1, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 6 and all other causes 33.

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for week ending Saturday the 10th September 1927 :—

Food articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market Report	Retail prices
Food grains and pulses—				Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p.		
Rice	Guntoor per palla	100	246	21 12 0 to 23 0 0	—	4 to 4½ seers per rupee.
	Pattasamánahalli Sanna per palla	"	"	24 0 0 to 25 0 0	—	4 to 4½ "
	Dhamapur "	"	"	26 0 0 to 27 0 0	—	3⅝ to 3¾ "
	Mysore kaddi "	"	"	20 0 0 to 22 8 0	..	4½ to 5 "
	Alubbalu "	"	"	.. —	No stock	— —
Ragi	Duyam (black) per cart load	..	..	68 0 0	..	9½ "
	Superior (red) "	..	..	69 0 0 to 71 0 0	..	9 "
Tur	Gulberga	—	—	— —	..	4½ to 4¾ "
Tur (Dal)		—	..	....	..	3¾ to 3⅞ "
Avare		—	..	....	..	4 to 4⅛ "
Avare (Dal)		—	..	....	..	3¾ to 4½ "
Oils and oilseeds—						
Oils	Sweet oil	..	26½	8 0 0 to 9 0 0	—	0-3-3 to 0-3-9 per seer
	Castor oil	..	28	6 8 0 to 6 12 0	..	0-2-8 to 0-3-0 per seer
Oilseeds	Gingelly or Til seed per candy	255	..	55 0 0 to 58 0 0	(new)	— ..
	Castor seed "	255	..	36 0 0 to 38 0 0	..	.. —
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar	White Bura	..	25	3 13 0	—	0-7-0 to 0-7-0 per viss
	Kolar Bura	..	"	3 8 0 to 3 11 0	..	
Jaggery	Achu	..	28	1 12 0 to 2 8 0	—	0-3-6 to 0-5-0 per viss
	Oonde	..	28	1 12 0 to 2 8 0	—	
Ghee	Superior (Mandya)	..	26½	25 0 0	..	2-0 "
Salt	Bombay salt (black)	100	..	7 4 0 to 7 8 0	..	14 seers per rupee

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